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## MUSCOVITES ADVANCING BY THE MILLION

### WILL RUSH ON THEIR TEUTONIC FOES LIKE A TIDAL WAVE

### AUSTRO-GERMANS WILL MEET THEM WITH IMMENSE FORCE AND TERRIFIC FIGHTING MAY BE EXPECTED

Petrograd, March 27.—Three million soldiers are rolling like a tidal wave upon the Austro-Germans along the Carpathians from the Danube river to Bukovina, forcing their foes back to fortified positions in the passes and on the crests.

The Germans are withdrawing the major part of their forces from the Vistula-Niemen front, where the spring thaws have caused cessation of hostilities at most points.

The best information estimates that only about 580,000 Germans are now in Poland, from which it is deduced that about 2,920,000 men have been concentrated on the Danube and Carpathian front to meet the Russians.

The Russian war minister stated that immediate triumph for the Russians need not be expected, but their ultimate triumph is certain. The Russians occupy positions of great strategic importance but do not underestimate the strength of the enemy. Fighting on a scale never before witnessed is expected.

#### IT IS TIME IT WAS ENDED

Even New York Judges are Weary of the Thaw Persecution

New York, March 27.—Harry K. Thaw's appeal from the decision of Justice Page refusing to authorize his return to New Hampshire was argued in the appellate division of the supreme court yesterday.

Deputy Attorney-General Kennedy submitted a lengthy brief. The first point made in it was in interstate rendition of an extradited person once within the limits of the requesting state was answerable both to its criminal and civil process. Many cases were quoted to cover this point.

Thaw's attorneys contended it was improper and unlawful for the state, after Thaw's acquittal of the criminal charge, to make use of the presence of Thaw to confine him in Matteawan. After Thaw left New York state they claimed there was no way by which the state officials could cause his return except by charging him with a crime, and it had been shown that his escape from Matteawan was not a crime.

Judges Doubt New York's Position. Justice Scott interrupted Mr. Kennedy to say:

"I am in doubt as to the rights of New York to pounce on Thaw after acquittal of charges of crime and then return him to the asylum for the criminal insane at Matteawan. I believe most citizens of this state would regard such action as dishonorable."

Justice Ingraham concurred in this and said the question was not so much the return of Thaw to Matteawan, as maintaining the honor of the state of New York.

At the conclusion of arguments, decision was reserved. It was considered probable by attorneys that a decision would be handed down next week.

#### ARE FADING AWAY

Progressive Party in Congress Whittled Down to a Point

Washington, March 27.—Progressive strength in the next House of Representatives will consist of seven members compared with nineteen in the last Congress, according to the calculations of Representative Stephens of California. He added that Representative Conley of Illinois might be proposed for the House progressive leadership.

#### MEDAL CONTEST

There will be a Medal Contest held at Fessenden Academy on Tuesday night, March 30th. Eight of the students will contest for the silver medal presented by the Kendrick W. T. U.

When Jesus was on earth it was his usual custom to go about doing good. Why not visit the North Ocala Sunday school and do likewise, sat-f.

On Saturday and Monday, 16 pounds of sugar for \$1, with one dollar's worth of other groceries, for cash. Smith Grocery Co. Phone 434. tf

## SUSPICIOUS OF FOREIGN SHIP

### McCULLOUGH GONE TO INVESTIGATE JAP CRUISER OFF MONTEREY

San Francisco, March 27.—To investigate the presence of the Japanese warship Shimosa off Monterey, the revenue cutter McCullough left San Francisco this morning under full steam. The foreign cruiser steamed into Monterey bay at midnight, displaying no lights nor signals.

### FISH FRY AT THE LAKE WEIR CLUB HOUSE

The Lake Weir Yacht Club held a fish fry at the club house last evening. Word was sent to Ocala that the fish fry would be held and a number of people went down to enjoy the hospitality of the club.

The ladies around the lake prepared huge baskets of delicious edibles, which were brought to the club house, the gentlemen had been fishing the day before and at least a hundred big speckled perch that are biting so well just now, had been caught and kept alive in wire baskets till yesterday afternoon, when they were dressed and just before supper time they were fried in the kitchen of the club.

Great platters of these fish, the finest that swim, were placed along the tables and while every one ate all they could hold, there were "gathered up a few fragments." The Ocala contingent, at least, certainly appreciated the fish, as well as the other good things.

The club members set two tables, almost the whole length of the club house, and seated nearly every one at once, about 80 in number.

The club has its own dining room and kitchen service and does not have to call on any one to loan it anything to help out on an occasion of this kind. There is no better furnished kitchen in the country and the silver, china, linen and complete service are owned by the club.

Convenient benches and large sectional tables are quickly assembled, covered with linen and banquet boards are ready when these occasions demand, and are as quickly removed and the room cleared for dancing or other social purposes.

As a meeting place for a dance, a banquet or a literary occasion for the people around the lake, the club house is the center of attraction and a great factor in the social pleasure of the lake dwellers, their friends and guests. The people about the lake would not know how to get along without the club house and rightly deem it one of their greatest assets.

Commodore Bickley and Vice Commodore Goodwin were each in two places at once, helping out with the cooking and serving and making every one have a good time and feel at home. The ladies all worked in the kitchen and dining room as no "hired help" ever worked for them in their homes, and if the guests did not have a good time it was not the fault of these good ladies.

After the feast when the room was cleared, dancing was participated in by the young folks who, were so inclined to the music of the Victrola, and others who cared to do so played cards or otherwise amused themselves.

Another big fish fry will be held soon at South Lake, which will close the winter season's festivities among the yacht club members.

Among the Ocala people attending were Mr. Z. C. Chambliss, Mr. P. V. Leavengood, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Carroll and daughter Merris, Misses Kit Duval, Louise Rentz, Masters Charles Duval and Leonard Wesson.

## DEFERRED A DAY

### PRESIDENT OF CUBA PROBABLY WISHES TO SEE THE MEETING OF THE PUGS

Havana, March 27.—The fight for the championship of the world between Johnson and Willard has been postponed to Monday, April 5th. The president of Cuba objected to having the fight on Easter Sunday.

### ANCIENT CITY WILL ENTERTAIN NEXT MEETING OF ASSOCIATION

The next meeting of the State Good Roads Association will be held in St. Augustine. All the officers, including Mr. J. D. Rooney of this city, who is treasurer, were re-elected.

#### GET TOGETHER SOCIAL

The 16th of April is the date that has been set and advertised for the W. C. T. U. social to be given at the Baptist church, beginning at 7:30 o'clock, promptly. A choice program is being arranged, which will be followed by a social hour. Each member of the W. C. T. U. is asked to consider herself a committee of one to advertise this event and do all in her power to make it an enjoyable success. There will be no charges, no collection. All citizens cordially invited. Fuller particulars later. Watch for them. Committee.

#### DEWEY AS A CHICKEN RAISER

"Admiral" Dewey, of Merchant's Cafe fame, is doing well with his 14-acre farm just outside of town on the Silver Springs boulevard. He has a new residence on the farm almost completed, but best of all, his hogs and chickens and milk cows are doing well, increasing in numbers and beginning to pay returns on the money invested in them.

Mr. Dewey has a large flock of pure bred White Leghorns on the farm. There is not a black feather on the farm. On warm days he gets a large quantity of eggs but a few days of cold weather will make them fall off in egg supply to a very marked degree.

Ten days ago an incubator hatched out its brood of 189 little white chicks nearly all of which are doing well. On Easter Monday another with 250 eggs will hatch out and others will be set from time to time.

The cows are giving nearly enough milk to supply the restaurant; the eggs, while not sufficient as yet for his demands, help out wonderfully and the pigs coming along in bunches, are fattened up, killed and placed in cold storage and served up to the patrons of the restaurant in most tempting chops.

The land is cultivated in vegetables for the table and feed stuff for the poultry, cows and hogs.

Easter cards, The Murray Company.

## AUSTRO-GERMANS ON THE OFFENSIVE

### PUSHED BACK THE RUSSIANS BUT ADMIT FRENCH HAVE TAKEN AN IMPORTANT POSITION

Vienna, March 27.—The Austro-Germans, taking the offensive in Bukovina, drove the Russians' left wing back to the Dniester river. Sealszky, the Russian base northwest of Czernowitz, is being shelled by the Austrians. Reports that the Russians have taken Czernowitz are false.

#### ADMIT DEFEAT IN ALSACE

Berlin, March 27.—After five days' battle, the French have captured the summit of Hartmannsweiler-Kopf, an important strategic point in the Vosges mountains. The edge of the heights is still held by the Germans. French aviators have dropped bombs in Batsume, Strassburg and Metz.

The Russians were repulsed in their attempted advance against Tilsit in East Prussia. Other minor successes against the Russians are reported.

#### ARRAS SHOT UP AGAIN

Paris, March 27.—The French have captured the summit of Hartmannsweiler-Kopf. The Germans have bombarded Arras violently.

#### OF COURTS WE HAVE ENOUGH

Ocala, Fla., March 27, 1915. Editor Star: I understand that there will be an effort made to get one of our legislators-elect to introduce a bill in the next legislature to create a county court or criminal court for Marion county. This county cannot possibly stand any more useless expenditures of money and it most certainly can do without any more courts.

It has too much court already. The two terms of the circuit court are needlessly prolonged and money wasted as it is. To create another court to spend more money, in the present financial condition of this county would be criminal, and I hope that the people of Marion county will hold any man to strict accountability who may undertake it. Common Sense.

#### HOSPITAL NOTES

A little daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Peyton Liddell at the hospital this morning.

Mrs. Chandler was brought to the hospital today.

#### KICHLINE TAKES A PARTNER

Mr. Arthur Arfman of Allentown, Pa., is a new comer to the county and has located at Eastlake, where he was induced to come by Messrs. Klock and Lee. Mr. Arfman is a man of means and to come to Florida will give us a very handsome salary with an insurance company of his state. He has bought a half interest in the Eastlake Cash Store, which was purchased a few weeks ago by Mr. J. G. Kichline from Mr. E. F. Newport. The new proprietors have a large stock of fresh goods in the store and are doing a good business.

#### "RUNAWAY JUNE"

The opening pictures of "Runaway June" were seen by a large crowd at the Temple last night, the house being packed twice. The story starts out well, and promises to be of great interest. The two reels of the story were accompanied with two other excellent subjects.

A large shipment of Norris Candies just received at the Court Pharmacy. None better made. 19-tf

## INTENDS TO PROTECT AMERICANS

### Turkish Vizer Doubts that Outrages Were Perpetrated by Regular Troops

Constantinople, March 27.—The grand vizier has promised Ambassador Morgenthau that the Turkish government will do all possible to protect American interests in northwestern Persia. He doubted the accuracy of the report that Turkish regulars made the attack and is investigating.

## TEDDY IS TALKING THRU HIS TILE

### Says Wilson and Bryan Tried to Use Improper Methods to Buy Interned Ships

Washington, March 27.—The charge that President Wilson and Secretary Bryan endeavored to interest certain foreign business firms, to secure for the United States the power to purchase interned ships from one of the belligerents in the European war, is made by Mr. Roosevelt, in replying to an invitation to testify before the ship purchase bill lobby investigating committee of the Senate.

#### It Was Perfectly Apparent

In a letter addressed to Senator Walsh, chairman of the committee, Mr. Roosevelt says: "The sources of my information have been for months open to every intelligent man. It is perfectly apparent we would be literally purchasing a quarrel with every ship purchased from any corporation owning German interned vessels. That the purchase of German interned vessels was the purpose of the shipping bill was practically admitted by Secretary McAdoo before the House committee."

#### A BIG IMPROVEMENT

Visitors to Eastlake last night were most gratified, to find that the road from the main county highway down to the station has been hardened with clay, making a fine road where there was formerly very deep sand and a steep and dangerous hill to climb. Along the lake side of the hill, where a short curve is made, the citizens of Eastlake have placed a solid wooden railing of heavy timber, capable of supporting the weight of any vehicle that might be inclined to skid off of the road.

#### MR. LATTNER TO MOVE

Mr. Herbert Lattner, the piano man, will move his place of business on April 1st to the store room in the Ocala House formerly occupied by Harley brothers. The room is being fitted up in attractive style for his occupancy. The room in the Harrington Hall block where Mr. Lattner has been since coming to Ocala, is no longer large enough for his growing business.

## MIRACLE ONLY COULD SAVE MEN

### OF F-4 AT THE BOTTOM OF THE OCEAN

### EVERY EFFORT BEING MADE TO RAISE THE BOAT BUT HOPE HAS BEEN ABANDONED

Honolulu, March 27.—All hope for those aboard the American submarine F-4, which has been at the bottom of the sea for forty-eight hours was abandoned today. Only a miracle could save them. Desperate efforts to raise the craft continued today. The dredger California, which arrived this morning, with massive machinery and chains, immediately began trying to bring the submarine up.

#### A FEW MAY BE ALIVE

There is great difficulty in getting chains around the submarine, but it is expected to raise it to the surface by tonight. Some of the officers in charge believe that some aboard may be alive.

#### A NUISANCE THAT SHOULD BE ABATED

A good deal of complaint reaches the Star office over the rowdy methods pursued by the porters of hotels in this city, when meeting trains. Why does not the police committee of the council compel these men to behave in an orderly manner, as in other cities?

One is no longer drawn and quartered by hackmen and hotel porters when passed through the union station in Jacksonville. Timid people are sometimes frightened almost to death by these porters and hackmen and given but little option as to where they are to go or how they shall get there, but are subject solely to the might and power of the husky porters or hackmen.

This reminds us of an incident we noticed some time ago, when a bunch of noisy jehus and porters were nonplussed by a little old gentleman from the north, well dressed and as fiery in his appearance as Captain Kettle. Being exasperated by their annoying manner, he stopped before them, and making a certain sign known the world over by placing the thumb of the right hand against the nose, etc., blating "ya, ya, ya," at them. Those porters let him alone and he leisurely decided where he wanted to go, while the crowd gave the bunch the horse-laugh.

#### GREAT TRIP PROPOSED

Mr. Edward Tucker, local agent for the Ford automobile, is planning a trip to San Francisco to see the exposition. He proposes to get three congenial friends, making four in the party, take one of his Ford cars and strike out on the trip which will comprise nearly 10,000 miles before completed, over the route he proposes to take. The trip will be made in a leisurely manner and will require three months to go and return and see the fair. It is figured that the actual road expense will be over 1 cent a mile per passenger.

All varieties of seed corn; also millet and sorghum, now in and for sale by the Ocala Seed Store. 5-tf.

Just say "look" at Johnny's. They'll know what you mean. tf

Try one of those frosted pints of Pabst's Blue Ribbon at Johnny's. tf

## OTTOMANS AND ENGLISH DO NOT AGREE

### CONFLICTING ACCOUNTS OF COMBATS ON THE SUEZ CANAL

Constantinople, March 27.—The Turks have resumed their campaign against Egypt with marked success. The destruction of an entire British column at one point and the repulse of another is reported. In the latter fight 300 British were killed.

#### OTTOMANS HAD THE WORST OF THE FIGHT

London, March 27.—British troops defeated the Turks at the Egyptian town of Suez. The Turks retreated to Mekhl. The losses of the British were light.

#### CRIME AT KISSIMMEE

### Civil War Veteran Found Dead Under Suspicious Circumstances

Kissimmee, March 27.—Intense mystery surrounds the death of W. T. Thayer, aged seventy, of Spring Valley, Minn., a civil war veteran, whose body was found here last night in a woods near the negro quarters of the town. It is thought that Thayer may have met with foul play and after the body was viewed this morning by a coroner's jury, a thorough medical examination was ordered.

Thayer has been missing since Wednesday afternoon and a posse headed by the sheriff and another party of eight men scoured the community yesterday afternoon but without result.


He was last seen Wednesday afternoon walking on a track of the Florida Midland which leads through the negro section and it was this that caused such apprehension.

The body was found by a negro at 6 o'clock last evening, lying face down on the ground. The man had evidently been dead for several hours. There was no trace of violence on the body except for a slight scratch on the forehead. All the man's valuables were missing, however. Word of the finding did not reach the authorities till midnight last night. A jury was empaneled this morning by Sheriff Ingram and after a short sitting a medical examination was ordered.

Thayer had been preparing to leave for his home after spending the winter here and had packed his grip and purchased a railroad ticket. These and sixty dollars in money were found Wednesday afternoon in his room at a boarding house and precluded any theory that he had left town for good.

The best fifty cent package of candy we have ever offered. Triola Sweets. Fresh shipment just in at Gerig's Drug Stores. 23-tf

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